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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Applicant:

JAMES E. TURNER et al.

Filed: June 8, 1990

Serial No.: 07/535,967

For: NICOTINE-IMPERMEABLE
CONTAINER AND METHOD OF
FABRICATING THE SAME

Group Art Unit: 3302

Examiner: Jennifer Doyle

Atty Ref: A89675US

AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 9, 1992, please
amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend claim 12 as follows:

12. (Twice amended) A cartridge for a nicotine inhaler,
comprising:

a) a cartridge housing;
b) a passageway in said cartridge housing;
c) a nicotine reservoir in said passageway for holding
a measured amount of nicotine in a form that will allow nicotine
vapor to be released into a fluid stream passing around or through
the reservoir;

d) said passageway comprising at least two openings
communicating outside said housing for allowing a fluid stream to
pass through said passageway; [and]

e) said nicotine reservoir being sealed from the
atmosphere and maintained in an effectively oxygen-free environment
by a nicotine-impermeable barrier which includes passageway barrier
portions for sealing the passageway on both sides of the reservoir,

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